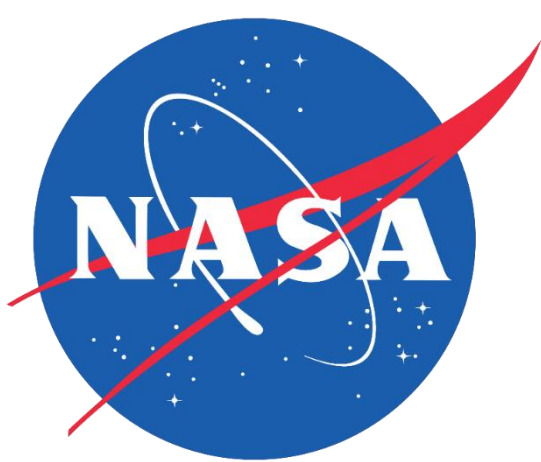


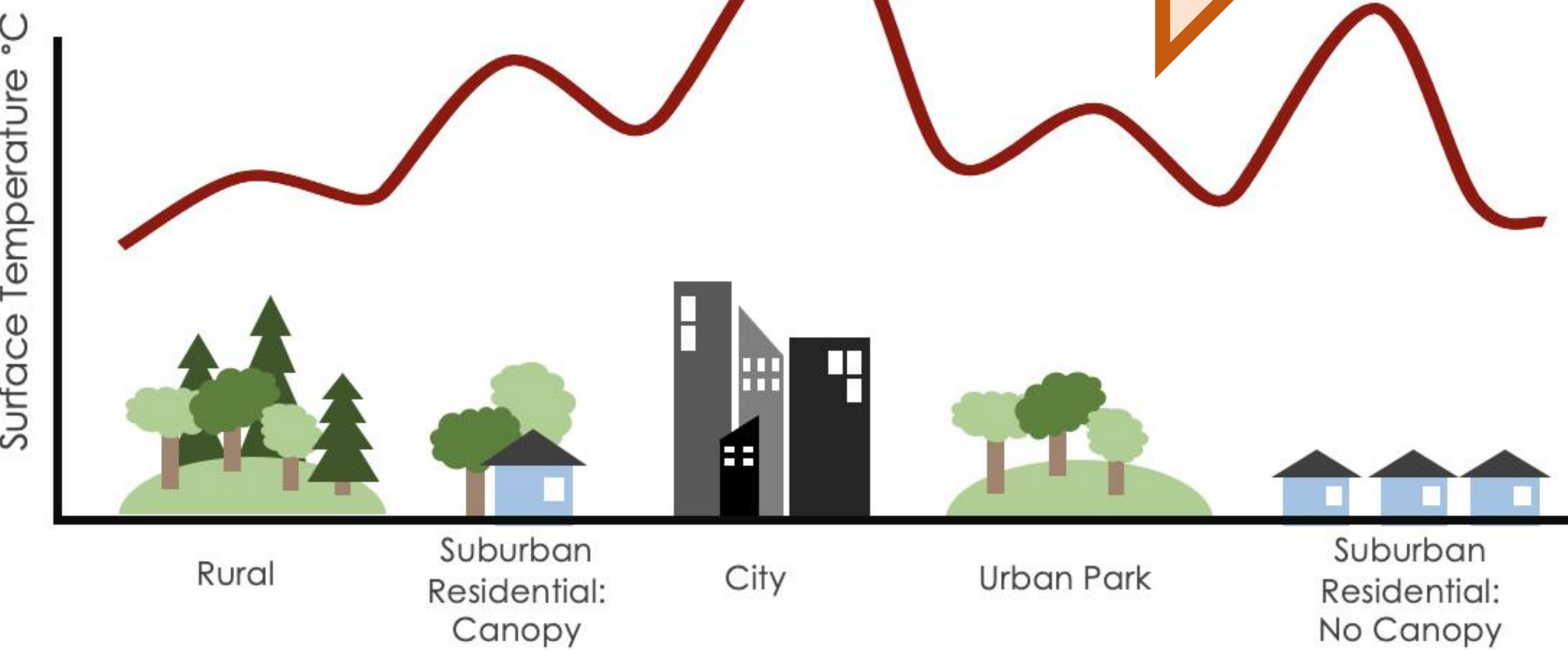


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What is an Urban Heat Island?

Urban Heat Islands occur when an urban area becomes much hotter than the surrounding countryside.



How does extreme heat affect everyone differently in Milwaukee?

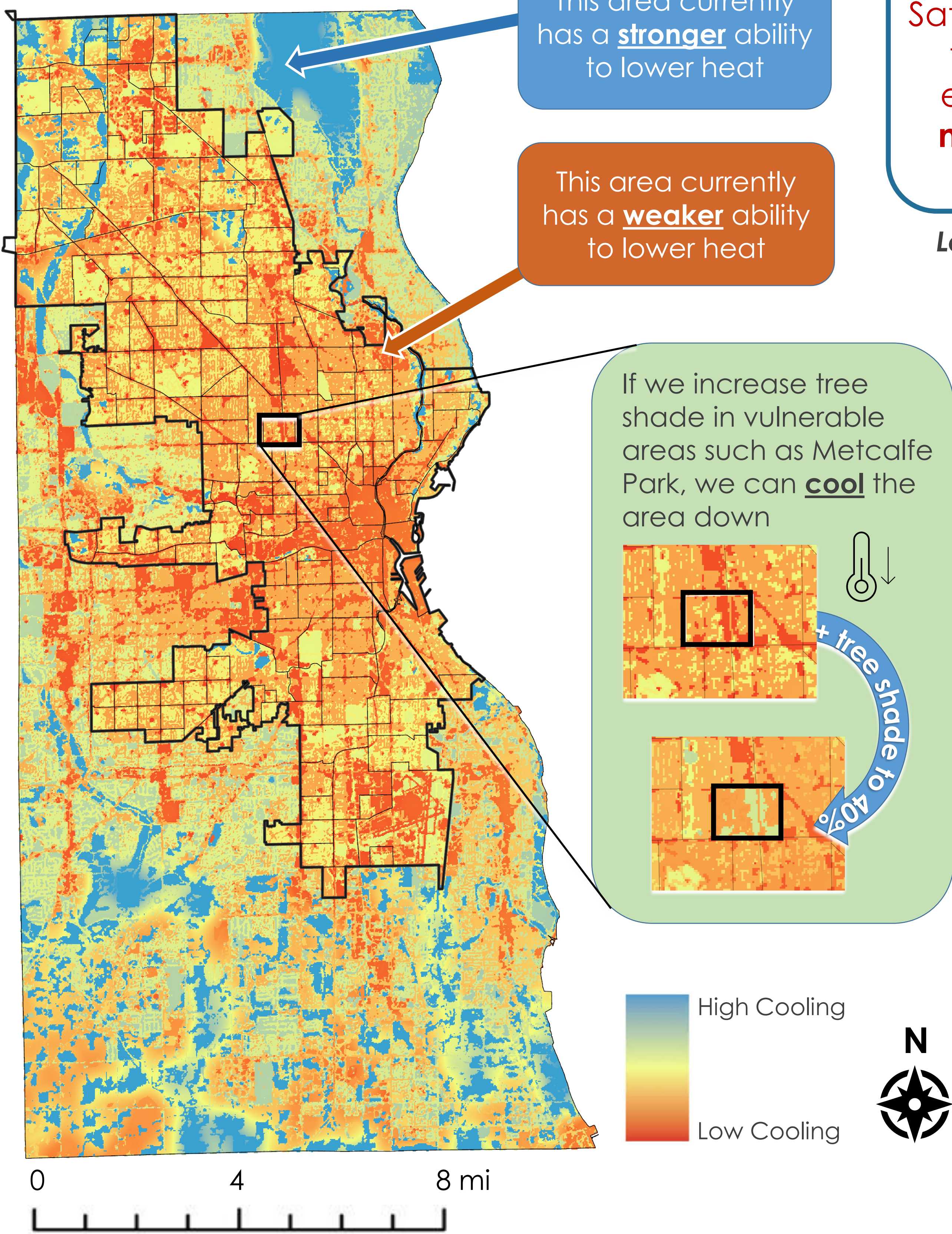
Different people feel the impacts of extreme heat **unequally**!

Factors in our society, health, and environment can make us **more** vulnerable to heat.

- Lack of air conditioning
- Health conditions
- Lower income

Redlining, discrimination, limited resource access in communities of color

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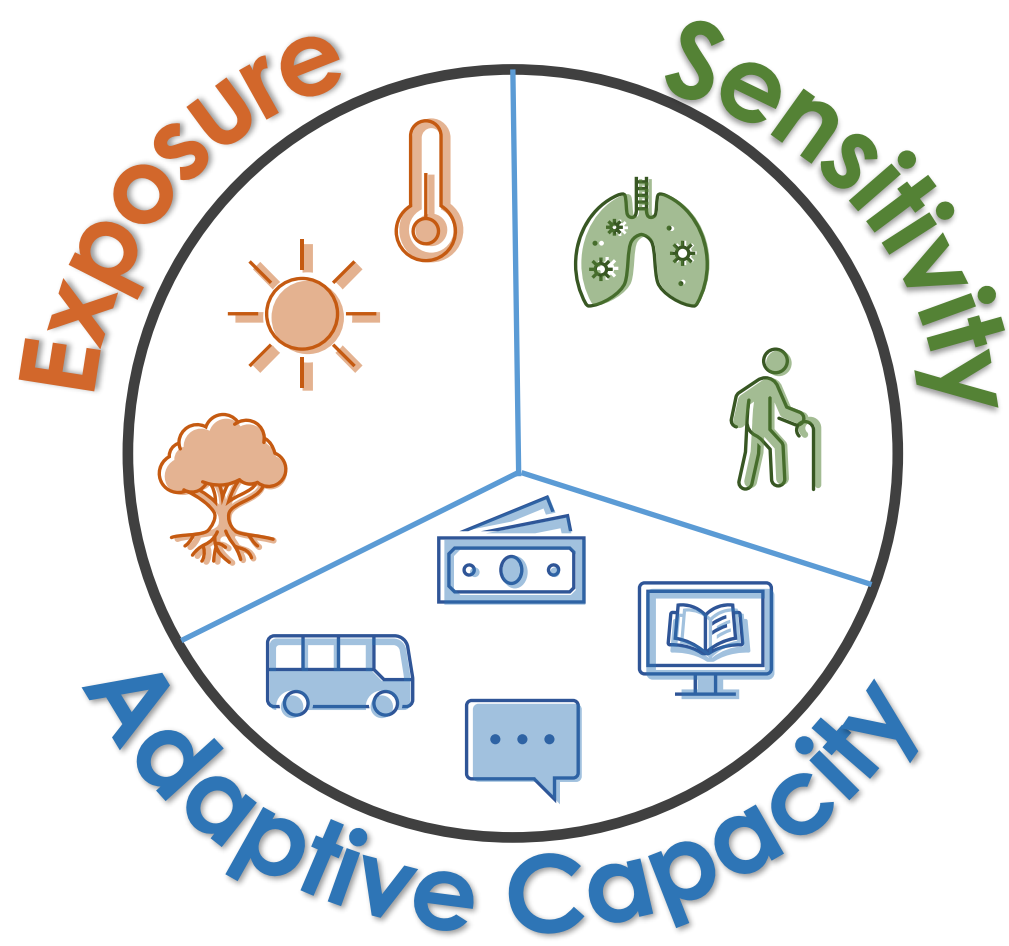
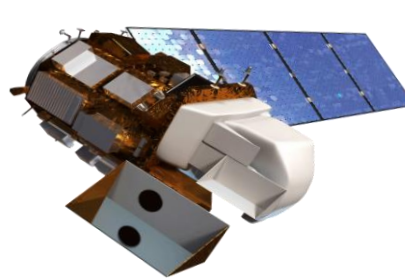


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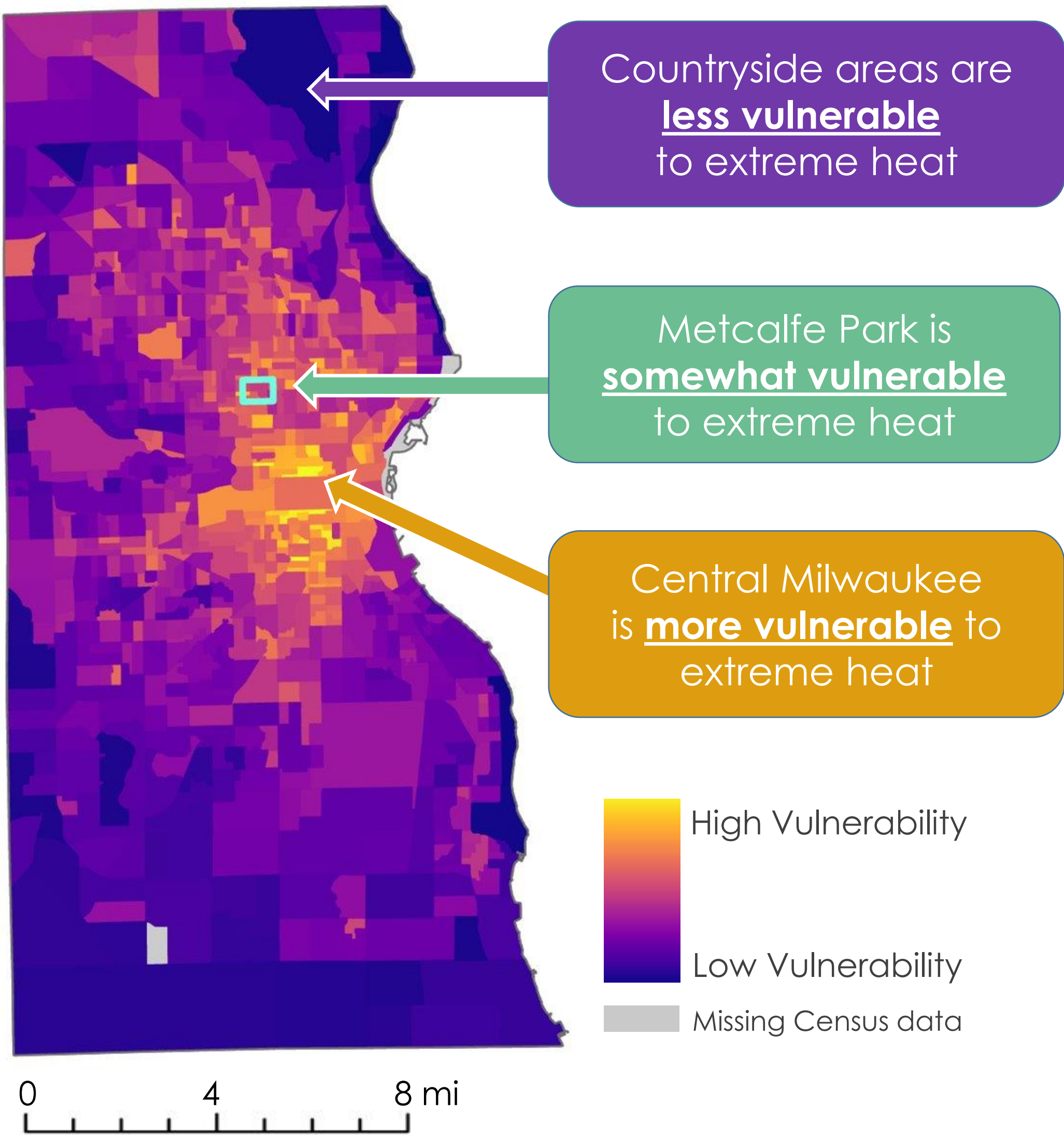
Satellites can help us **identify** areas that will be **most impacted** by extreme heat so we can **direct mitigation efforts** towards those communities

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